IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF ALABAMA NORTHERN DIVISION

TIFFANY HUGHES,)	
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Plaintiff,)	
)	
V.)	CASE NO. 2:17-CV-225-WKW
)	
WAL-MART STORES, EAST)	
LP., and MICHAEL R. HARRIS,)	
)	
Defendants.)	

ORDER

On June 12, 2018, the Magistrate Judge filed a Recommendation to which no timely objections have been filed. (Doc. # 47.) Upon an independent review of the record and upon consideration of the Recommendation, it is ORDERED that the Recommendation is ADOPTED in part and MODIFIED in part. Specifically, it is ORDERED as follows:

- (1) Defendants' Motions to Dismiss (Docs. # 32 & 42) are DENIED as to Plaintiff's claim for Defamation;
- (2) Defendants' Motions to Dismiss (Docs. # 32 & 42) are GRANTED as to Plaintiff's claim for Invasion of Privacy based upon publicity, but DENIED as to Plaintiff's claim for Invasion of Privacy based upon intrusion upon seclusion;

¹ The Magistrate Judge recommends denying all other pending motions as moot (Doc. # 47, at 13), but the Recommendation was entered before Plaintiff's Motion to Compel (Doc. # 48) was filed. Accordingly, as that motion is properly pending before the Magistrate Judge, that section of the Recommendation will be modified.

(3) Defendants' Motions to Dismiss (Docs. # 32 & 42) are GRANTED as to Plaintiff's claims for Tortious Conduct and Conspiracy;

(4) Plaintiff's Motion for Oral Argument (Doc. # 40) is DENIED as moot; and

(5) This action is REFERRED back to the Magistrate Judge pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 636 for further proceedings and determination or recommendation as may be appropriate.

DONE this 9th day of July, 2018.

/s/ W. Keith Watkins
CHIEF UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE